



## 5 Days Gorilla Safari – Rwanda

Free cancellation up to 30 day(s) prior departure, after which the tour cancellation policy applies.

- **Activities:**
  - Gorilla Trekking
- **Travel Style:** Budget
- **Guiding Type:** Live Guide/Instructor
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  - English
  - French
- **Tour Vibe:** Active
- **Guiding Type:** Live Guide/Instructor
- **Recommended For:**
  - Couple
  - Family/Kids
  - For Art Lovers
  - LGBTQ
  - Senior
  - Solo
  - Women
  - Youth
- **Country:**
  - Africa
  - Rwanda
- **Routes:**
  - Volcanoes National Park
- **Pickup:** Kigali International Airport;

From: 8:00 AM

To: 8:00 AM

- **Drop-off:** Kigali International Airport;

From: 8:00 AM

To: 4:00 PM

- **Age Range:** 18 - 65 (Years Old)
- **Tour Highlights:**

Volcanoes National Park Rwanda / Parc National Des Volcans (PNV): Spanning on a 160 sqkm area in the northern part of Ruanda, Volcanoes national park is part of the great Virunga volcano conservation region spanning to cover Virunga national park Congo and Mgahinga national park Uganda. It was initially a small area around Karisimbi, Mikenno and Visoke *volcanoes which was gazetted to protect the Mountain gorillas which were facing the threat of extinction as a result of poaching.*

- **Tour Introduction:**

Kigali is the capital city of Rwanda, roughly in the centre of the country. It sprawls across numerous hills, ridges and valleys, and has a vibrant restaurant and nightlife scene. The Kigali Genocide Memorial documents the 1994 mass killings in Rwanda, associated with the country's civil war. The city's Caplaki Crafts Village has stalls selling traditional handicrafts, including woodcarvings and woven baskets.

- **Itinerary:**

- Day 1: **Arrival at Kigali**

On your arrival you will meet and greet at the Airport with your Asyanut safari and Incentives who will brief you on your trip and then transfer you to your accommodation. Overnight at Marriot Hotel Kigali (BB)

- Day 2: **City Tour – Volcanoes National Park.**

After your morning breakfast you will be assisted with check out and settlement of extras. You will then proceed with your driver guide on a tour of Kigali city that includes The Kigali Genocide Memorial Center and Inema arts center. The Genocide Memorial centre at Gisozi, It is where the victims of Tutsi Genocide are buried from the year 2000. It contains a cemetery, a house of exhibition on Genocide section; a library and it has a plan of teaching the history of genocide. There are about 300,000 victims buried there. It is the only memorial site in Kigali. Lunch will be served at Heaven Restaurant. After lunch you will transfer to Volcanoes National Park for overnight. Dinner and overnight at Five Volcanoes Lodge (HB).

- Day 3: **Gorilla Tracking.**

After your early morning breakfast you will transfer to the park headquarters in time for Gorilla trekking briefing. We will then transfer you to the starting point of your guided walk. Here, your amazing adventure begins. Some gorilla families can be more elusive, and tracking can take a full day, especially if it is wet and muddy. Later in the evening if time allows you will visit the Ibyi Iwacu village for a Rwandese cultural experience. Ibyi

Iwacu is changing the traditional perception of what constitutes tourism by turning fate into fame through sharing various aspects of rural cultures and livelihoods into tourist attractions and creating income-generating activities for rural poor people that have reformed from living on bush meat and poaching for generations. Dinner and overnight at Mountain Gorilla View Lodge (HB).

◦ Day 4: **Golden monkey – Kigali.**

After an early morning breakfast and retrieve the Kinigi park offices for morning briefing on the golden monkey tracking code of conduct. Unlike mountain gorillas, golden monkeys exist in large families and can be seen jumping from one tree branch to another; playing and looking for food. You are granted an hour with the playful creatures before returning to your lodge, have lunch and then drive back to Kigali. Overnight at Marriot Kigali Hotel (BB)

◦ Day 5: **Departure.**

Breakfast at leisure and then check out of the Hotel for your transfer to the airport for your flight out.

## WHAT'S INCLUDED

Location	Nights	Type	Property Name	Rating	Occupancy
kigali		Select One	Marriot Hotel Kigali	Select One	Select One

- **Pickup & Drop-Off**

- **Guide**

- **Meals**

- Halal
- Meat
- Vegetarian

- **Transport**

## WHAT'S EXCLUDED

- Flights

- Insurance

- Transport

- **Other Excluded:**

- International and domestic airline tickets unless where indicated,
- entry visa fees

- 1 Gorilla permit per person
- optional extras whilst in Kigali
- tips and gratuities,
- Personal expenses such as telephone calls, mini bar, porter-age, travel insurance, etc.
- Gold monkey Permit

## **Covid Safety**

covid test not later than 3 days

## **Tour Cancellation Policy**

Free cancellation up to 30 day(s) prior departure, Or traveler will pay 50 % of the tour amount

All cancellation requests must be made in writing and shall be effective on the date of receipt by Ze Sport Motor Safaris. Refunds on all prepaid money will be based on cancellation fees levied by the hotel, lodges and the banks. Generally a 50% charge on cancellations with 14-35 days, 75% charge with 2-24 days, and no refund for cancellations of forty-eight hours or less. We reserve the right to deduct all the expenses incurred from any money paid. Please note that gorilla, chimp and golden money permits cannot be refunded. While every effort will be made by Ze Sport Motor Safaris to ensure all bookings and arrangements are completed to the client's full satisfaction, Ze Sport Motor Safaris cannot accept liability for any injury, damage or delay caused directly by hotels, restaurants, transport carriers or any other service agency or company with whom bookings have been made. Transfer of Booking In the event that you are unable to travel due to extraordinary circumstances, we may transfer your booking to another party provided the arrangements remain the same and if suppliers (permits, lodges etc.) are all willing to accept the transfer. Gorilla, Chimpanzee and golden monkey permits are non-refundable but are transferable under some circumstances. Alteration of Tour The right is reserved to alter any route or arrangement, to cancel the operation of any scheduled tour should the conditions necessitate. If that happens you shall be notified as early as may be practical. Ze Sport Motor Safaris reserves the right to change and adjust the tour schedule, transportation, accommodation and services indicated in the itinerary in the event of unforeseen circumstances before arrival. Should you fail to join a tour, join it after departure or leave prior to completion; no tour fare refund can be made. Ze Sport Motor Safaris reserves the right to refuse any person from participating or continuing on any tour if, in Ze Sport Motor Safaris' opinion or in the opinion of any other person in authority, the person concerned behaves in such a way as to cause or be likely to cause danger, hazard or inconvenience to any third party, damage to property or to environments and ecosystems. No refunds will be made and Ze Sport Motor Safaris shall not be liable for expenses incurred as a result of the termination. Transport The mode of transport utilized will be dependent on the number of clients and the route taken based on the specifications of the chosen itinerary. Every effort is made to ensure that vehicles are provided in a roadworthy condition but no liability can be accepted for a puncture, breakdown, damage, or any delay as a result of the poor road conditions. On most our safaris we use 4WD minibuses (up to eight passengers) with pop-up tops, 4WD land cruisers. Groups of twelve or more people who would like to travel in one vehicle are offered 25-28 seat coasters that have about 16 window seats. Experienced English

speaking driver/guides are provided; who will be the only persons allowed to drive the vehicles of Ze Sport Motor Safaris. The driver's decision on all matters, such as the route taken, is final. Ze Sport Motor Safaris reserves the right to alter any route or arrangement, to cancel the operation of any scheduled tour or vary the safari services in any way in the event of unforeseen circumstances, such as road closures, bad weather, problems with national parks or hotels and security considerations. In such cases alternative arrangements will be made as circumstances permit.

## **Good To Know**

## **FAQs**